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In re Application of John R. Hackett, Jr. et al. Application No. 08/911,824 Filed: August 15, 1997 Attorney Docket No. 6165.US.01

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed May 4, 2000, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed July 16, 1998, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of one (1) month or thirty (30) days (whichever is later). No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on August 17, 1998.

It is noted that the address given on the petition, differs slightly with the address of record. If appropriate, a change of address should be filed in accordance with MPEP 601.03. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address given on the petition; however, the Office will mail all future correspondence solely to the address of record.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center 1600.

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